



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

**Board of Scientific Counselors, Center for Preparedness and
Response**

AGENCY: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC),
Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with regulatory provisions, the Centers
for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the following
meeting for the Board of Scientific Counselors, Center for
Preparedness and Response (BSC, CPR). This is a hybrid meeting,
accessible both in person and virtually. It is open to the
public and limited only by the space available and the number of
internet conference accesses available. Time will be available
for public comment.

DATES: The meeting will be held on March 30, 2023, from 9 a.m.
to 3 p.m., EDT.

ADDRESSES: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Building
19, Auditorium B3, 1600 Clifton Road, NE, Atlanta, Georgia
30329-4027. The conference room will have seating for
approximately 40 people.

Please note that the meeting location is a federal facility
and in-person access is limited to United States citizens unless
prior authorizations, taking up to 30 to 60 days, have been
made. Visitors must follow all directions for access to CDC

facilities. Directions for visitors to CDC, including safety requirements related to COVID-19, are available at <https://www.cdc.gov/screening/visitors.html>.

If you wish to attend in person, please submit a request by email to Ms. Dometa Ouisley at DOuisley@cdc.gov at least 5 business days in advance of the meeting.

If you wish to attend the meeting virtually, please register by accessing the link at:

https://cdc.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_SFaFlNxBQtK3_Sux-5KfJw. Instructions to access the Zoom virtual meeting will be provided in the link following registration.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

PURPOSE: The Board of Scientific Counselors, Center for Preparedness and Response (BSC, CPR) is charged with providing advice and guidance to the Secretary, HHS; the Assistant Secretary for Health; the Director, CDC; and the Director, CPR, concerning strategies and goals for the programs and research within the agency and CPR; monitoring the overall strategic direction and focus of the CPR Divisions and Offices; and administration and oversight of peer review for CPR scientific

programs. For additional information about the Board, please visit: <https://www.cdc.gov/cpr/bsc/index.htm>.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The agenda will include discussion on: 1) Organizational Update; 2) Office of Policy, Planning, and Evaluation Update; 3) CDCReady Responder Update; 4) Health Equity Updates; 5) Data Modernization Update; and 6) Liaison Representative Updates. Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

The Director, Strategic Business Initiatives Unit, Office of the Chief Operating Officer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, has been delegated the authority to sign *Federal Register* notices pertaining to announcements of meetings and other committee management activities, for both the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry.

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